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 JIO World Convention Centre, Mumbai, India

**"Occupational Health, Safety & Environment –
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MESSAGE FROM THE ICOH PRESIDENT

A Journey Toward Global Responsibility for Workers' Health.



It is my great pleasure to release the Second Announcement of the 35th International Congress on Occupational Health (ICOH 2027), to be held in Mumbai, India, in February 2027. Thanks to the dedicated efforts of the International and National Organizing Committees, 11 distinguished scientists have accepted invitations to deliver keynote and plenary lectures across diverse disciplines in the broad field of occupational health and safety.

The International Commission on Occupational Health (ICOH), founded in 1906, is the oldest scientific association in the field of occupational health and safety. ICOH has about 2,000 Individual, Sustaining, and Affiliate members from more than 100 countries worldwide. Recognized by the United Nations, ICOH works closely with the International Labour Organization (ILO) and the World Health Organization (WHO). Since its establishment, ICOH has organized its flagship event, the Triennial Congress, as a global platform for advancing knowledge and collaboration in workers' health.

The ICOH Congress offers a unique opportunity to engage with colleagues and learn about the latest advances in occupational health. It is a harmonized conference of 37 Scientific Committees, public institutions, and professional associations. ICOH's scope extends beyond traditional occupational settings to include personal health care, mental health, and new social and technological contexts such as platform work, the informal sector, and vulnerable workforces. The Congress also explores new challenges and opportunities in occupational health within the AI-driven era, where digital transformation reshapes how and where we work. The up-to-date knowledge shared here enriches professional development and improves workers' health globally.

I warmly invite all professionals in occupational health and safety, regardless of background or specialty, to join us. Let us share our experiences and wisdom in Mumbai, and continue advancing the health, safety, and dignity of workers worldwide.

We look forward to welcoming you to Mumbai!

Seong-Kyu Kang

President of ICOH

Gachon University Gil Medical Center, Republic of Korea

INVITATION FROM THE ICOH 2027 CONGRESS PRESIDENT



As you are aware, The Indian Association of Occupational Health (IAOH) is hosting the 35th International Congress on Occupational Health (ICOH 2027), from the 14th to 19th February 2027 at the JIO World Convention Centre in Mumbai, India. The 4th largest Economy in the world – India, will host this event for the first time in more than 100 years history of ICOH.

The Indian Association of Occupational Health (IAOH), which is affiliated to ICOH, is the largest not-for-profit professional organization in India which is active in the discipline of occupational and environmental health and is committed to the promotion of health & safety at work. Established in 1948, IAOH has 23 Branches and more than 3000 members.

Congress Highlights

- **Theme:** “Occupational Health, Safety & Environment – Growth and Sustainability in Changing Times”
- **Plenary sessions** by global leaders and subject experts
- **Interdisciplinary participation** from scholars, researchers, professionals, managers, and decision-makers worldwide
- **Scientific Committee** ready to receive abstracts for scientific papers via the registration portal
- **Delegate fee structure** announced with attractive **early bird concessions**; registration is now open

Key Focus Areas

The Congress will feature discussions on a wide spectrum of OHS&E issues, including:

- Occupational diseases in organized and unorganized sectors
- Non-communicable diseases and mental well-being at the workplace
- Health, safety, environment, and occupational hygiene standards
- UNSDGs, ESG, and the role of AI in Occupational Health

We are sure that this 6-day Congress bringing together an interdisciplinary group of scholars, graduate students, researchers, experienced professionals, decision-makers, managers and global OH leaders will be an occasion to learn best practices and research discoveries that will certainly shape the future of our field and help raise the standards of Occupational Health, Safety and Environment. It will be a golden opportunity for a reunion of your contacts as well as establish new contacts to expand your network and resources for effective practice of OH, Safety & Environment.

This Congress will also provide an opportunity to explore “Incredible INDIA” as also experience its legendary hospitality where guests are treated as GODS (*Athithi Devo Bhava*). We look forward to welcoming you warmly to our country.

Mumbai, the Financial & Commercial Capital of India which has a diverse population covering the cultures of the various Indian States awaits you. You will experience a scientific extravaganza and the culinary feast of diverse India.

The Indian Association of Occupational Health extends a warm welcome.

Sincerely yours,

Shrinivas Shanbhag

President of ICOH 2027 Congress

CONGRESS HOSTS



The International Commission on Occupational Health (ICOH) is a global non-governmental professional society promoting scientific progress and development in occupational health and safety. Founded in 1906 in Milan, ICOH now has over 2,000 members from 110+ countries and is recognized by the UN, working closely with ILO and WHO. Its official languages are English and French.

ICOH's key activities include triennial World Congresses on Occupational Health, attended by about 3,000 participants. To serve members effectively, ICOH has Committees on Finance, Ethics, Transparency, and Scientific Advisory, along with Task Groups on communication, membership, and guidelines. Working groups address issues like decent work, global asbestos ban, occupational cancer, demographic changes, and health inequalities.

ICOH emphasizes continuous training, global development of occupational health services (including BOHS), and creating guidelines, tools, and pilot projects. It also plans a global survey on OHS in member countries. Cooperation with WHO, ILO, and other NGOs remains a strategic priority.



Indian Association of Occupational Health (IAOH), founded in 1948, is a leading national non-profit promoting occupational health and safety in India. Guided by its vision of "Occupational Health for All," IAOH advocates for safe working conditions and comprehensive health services through education, research, and collaboration.

With 3,000+ members across 23 branches, IAOH provides a multidisciplinary platform for professionals via conferences, workshops, and continuing education.

Its flagship event, **OCCUCON**, and its peer-reviewed journal, **Indian Journal of Occupational and Environmental Medicine (IJOEM)**, advance knowledge and best practices.

IAOH partners with WHO, ICOH, government bodies, and industry associations to influence policy and promote evidence-based practices. It also champions worker protection in informal sectors. Driven by its motto, **"Caring for the Working People,"** IAOH strives for safer workplaces and healthier workforces, contributing to national productivity and sustainable development.

KEY DATES

Opening of Registration and
Early bird offer
December 2025

Opening of Call for abstracts
December 2025

Abstract submission close
10th April 2026

Notification of abstract
acceptance
14th July 2026

Early bird registration fee close
15th August 2026

Mid registration fee close
30th November 2026

ICOH 2027 Opening ceremony
14th February 2027



PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The 6-day Congress will focus on the theme **“Occupational Health, Safety & Environment – Growth and Sustainability in Changing Times.”** The scientific program will feature a blend of plenary and semi-plenary sessions, special symposia, oral and poster presentations, workshops, and the Global Policy Forum, covering a wide spectrum of occupational health, safety, and environment topics.

The Congress will offer participants an opportunity to share experiences, discuss challenges, and explore innovative solutions shaping the future of work and worker health. The program aims to bridge research and practice through active participation of academia, industry, public health institutions, policymakers, and professional associations.

37 ICOH Scientific Committees will contribute to the Congress program through curated sessions addressing emerging themes such as digital transformation, mental well-being, Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) integration, and climate- linked occupational health. Parallel sessions and symposia will highlight both global and Indian experiences in workplace health management, safety systems, and policy implementation.

Abstracts of oral and poster papers presented in the congress will be published in ***Journal of Occupational Health (JOH)*** – the official English-language open-access journal of the **Japan Society for Occupational Health**. The event will also feature dedicated timeslots for poster displays and business meetings of the ICOH Scientific Committees.

The official languages of ICOH2027 are English and French. Simultaneous translation will be provided for Plenary sessions.

	Sunday 14 February 2027	Monday 15 February 2027	Tuesday 16 February 2027	Wednesday 17 February 2027	Thursday 18 February 2027	Friday 19 February 2027
08:30		Plenary	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary
09:30		Plenary	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary
10:30		Tea/ Coffee Break				
11:00		4 Parallel Semi-Plenaries	ICOH Policy Forum	4 Parallel Semi-Plenaries	4 Parallel Semi-Plenaries	4 Parallel Semi-Plenaries
11:45		4 Parallel Semi-Plenaries		4 Parallel Semi-Plenaries	4 Parallel Semi-Plenaries	4 Parallel Semi-Plenaries
12:30		Lunch Break				
13:00	Check-in to ICOH General Assembly					
14:00	1st ICOH General Assembly	22 Parallel sessions (special & oral sessions)	22 Parallel sessions (special & oral sessions)	22 Parallel sessions (special & oral sessions)	22 Parallel sessions (special & oral sessions)	Closing Ceremony
15:30		Tea/ Coffee Break				
16:00		22 Parallel sessions (special & oral sessions)	22 Parallel sessions (special & oral sessions)	22 Parallel sessions (special & oral sessions)	22 Parallel sessions (special & oral sessions)	2nd ICOH General Assembly
16:30	Opening Ceremony		Break		ICOH Meetings for SCs and NSs	
17:30		Business meetings workshops	Business meetings workshops	Business meetings workshops		
17:45						
18:30						
19:00	Welcome Reception					
20:00					Gala Dinner	

ICOH 2027 GLOBAL POLICY FORUM

Digitalization and AI-Driven Era. The impact of technological innovations and artificial intelligence on Occupational Health.

The world of work is undergoing an unprecedented transformation driven by digitalization, automation, and artificial intelligence (AI). This new era—sometimes referred to as the Intellectual Industrial Revolution—is reshaping not only the way we work but also how workers interact with technology, workplaces, and society.

While the first Industrial Revolution exposed workers to physical hazards such as dust, chemicals, and noise, the AI-driven revolution introduces new and complex risks that are cognitive, psychosocial, and ethical in nature. Algorithmic management, data surveillance, virtual workplaces, and platform-based employment are redefining traditional work relationships, often polarizing the workforce into highly skilled, high-income earners and low-income, precarious workers.

These transformations pose emerging challenges for workers' health, including mental fatigue, techno-stress, social isolation, irregular working hours, job insecurity, and loss of autonomy. At the same time, digitalization offers opportunities to improve health monitoring, remote risk assessment, and access to care. Understanding and managing these dual impacts will be crucial for shaping healthy, equitable, and sustainable work systems in the future.

Recognizing this paradigm shift, the Global Policy Forum will bring together participants from international organizations (ILO, WHO, OECD), regional networks, public institutes, and academic and professional associations across continents. Representatives from both high-income and low- and middle-income countries will explore how digital transformation affects different labor markets and occupational health systems, with a focus on:

- Identifying new health risks and inequalities created by automation, AI, and data-driven management;
- Understanding how workers' health differs across socioeconomic strata and geographic regions;
- Discussing policy measures and ethical frameworks needed to protect workers' rights and well-being;
- Promoting a human-centred approach and interdisciplinary collaboration among policymakers, researchers, and practitioners.

The Global Policy Forum will be a highlight of the ICOH 2027 Congress! Every delegate is warmly invited to attend the session and actively engage in the discussion, for what promises to be an impactful, thought-provoking, and topical event.



KEYNOTE AND PLENARY SPEAKERS

Keynote Speaker



Andreas D. Flouris

Director, FAME Laboratory
Professor of Physiology, University of Thessaly
Adjunct Professor, University of Ottawa,
Greece

Health impacts of climate change

Plenary Speakers



Akihito Shimazu

Professor
Faculty of Policy Management
Keio University,
Japan

**Beyond stress: Building positive
mental health at work**



Anne Helene Garde

Professor
The National Research Centre for the
Working Environment,
Denmark

**Working Day and Night – Scientific
Evidence and Policy Pathways for
Sustainable Working Hours**



Ellen MacEachen

Professor
University of Waterloo, Ontario,
Canada

**Preventing disability in vulnerable
worker groups**



Khalid Eddahiri

Chief, Occupational Safety & Health Section,
Division of Healthcare Management & OSH
Office of Support Operations,
UN Dept. of Operational Support
UNHQ, New York,
USA

**Humanitarian aid workers and occupational
health**

KEYNOTE AND PLENARY SPEAKERS

Plenary Speakers



Francesco Saverio Violante

Full Professor of Occupational Medicine
Director, Occupational Health Unit,
University of Bologna and Sant'Orsola
Malpighi Hospital,
Italy

**Technological innovation and smart
solutions to prevent MSDs**



Joaquim Pintado Nunes

Chief, Occupational Safety and Health
and Working Environment Branch
International Labour Organization,
Switzerland

Chemical safety in OH



Lanre Ogunyemi

Consultant in Occupational Medicine
Inaugural Chair, Leadership Academy
Society of Occupational Medicine,
United Kingdom

**Enhancing occupational health
leadership – training tomorrow's
occupational physicians**



Rita de Cassia Pereira Fernandes

Full Professor
Faculty of Medicine
Federal University of Bahia,
Brazil

**Precarious work as a major challenge
in changing times**



Sanjay Zodpey

President
Public Health Foundation of India,
India

**Climate Change and Occupational
Health**



Spo M. Kgalamono

Executive Director
National Institute for Occupational Health,
South Africa

**Resilient Workforces, Sustainable
Futures: Rethinking Mental Health in
Times of Change. How prioritising
mental health drives organisational
adaptability and success**

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The International Scientific Advisory Committee and the National Scientific Committee of ICOH 2027 invites researchers, professionals, practitioners, and students to actively contribute to the scientific program by submitting abstracts for consideration as oral or poster presentations in the Free Paper Sessions. The abstract submission platform is now open on the ICOH 2027 website - www.icoh2027.in

Publication Opportunity

Accepted abstracts will be published in an online supplement the **Journal of Occupational Health (JOH) - the official English language open access journal of the Japan Society for Occupational Health with 5 years impact factor 2.0 (2024, Clarivate)**. Only abstracts presented at the congress will be eligible for publication, enabling authors to include a citable reference in their CV.

Themes and Topics

Submissions can be made under one of the 43 subthemes covering the wide spectrum of Occupational Health, Safety, and Environment topics. The complete list of subthemes is available on the Congress website - www.icoh2027.in

Submission Guidelines

Detailed instructions on abstract preparation and submission are provided on the Congress website, along with the full list of topics. The deadline for submissions is **10th April 2026**. Though there will not be restriction on number of authors per abstract, to encourage wider participation, not more than two (02) abstracts will be allowed for each presenting author. Delegates who want to submit an abstract as Presenting Author will first need to register (create a profile) on the Congress website - www.icoh2027.in

Presentation Formats

Oral presentations will be scheduled for 10 minutes, comprising 7 minutes for delivery and 3 minutes for discussion. Poster presentations will be displayed in digital format, with opportunities for interactive discussion during the congress.

Key Dates

The abstract submission portal is **NOW OPEN**. The submission deadline is set for **10th April 2026**. Received abstracts will be peer-reviewed and notifications of acceptance will be sent by no later than **14th July 2026**.

Accreditation

Applications to UEMS EACCME and CPD for CME and CPD credits will be submitted. For Indian delegates, accreditation for CME points will be applied to Maharashtra Medical Council.

Submission Portal & Help

Abstracts must be submitted online through the Congress website at www.icoh2027.in. Queries may be directed via email to: SC@icoh2027.in



TOPICS FOR FREE PAPER SESSIONS

- **Accident Prevention**

- Smart Prevention: Leveraging innovation, inclusion, and sustainability to reduce workplace accidents in a changing climate

- **Aging and Work**

- **AI in Occupational Health & Safety**

- **Allergy and Immunotoxicology**

- **Biohazards and Occupational Health**

- **Cardiology in Occupational Health**

- **Education and Training in Occupational Health**

- **Effectiveness in Occupational Health Services (EOHS)**

- Development and evaluation of evidence-based practice guidelines in Occupational Health
- Effectiveness of Basic Occupational Health Services and of Workers' Health Surveillance

- **Emergency Preparedness and Response in Occupational Health**

- **Epidemiology in Occupational Health**

- **History of Prevention of Occupational and Environmental Diseases**

- The history of occupational health across Asia and its impact on workers' health today

- **Indoor Air Quality and Health**

- **Industrial Hygiene**

- **Integrating health and safety at the workplace**

- **Mining Occupational Safety and Health**

- OSH in small scale mining
- Climate Change, Hazards and Mining
- Vision Zero in Mining

- **Musculoskeletal Disorders**

- Musculoskeletal Disorders: Prevention and Management
- MSD in vulnerable groups of workers and new work environments

- **Nanomaterial Workers' Health**

- **Neurotoxicology and Psychophysiology**

- **Occupational and Environmental Dermatoses**

- Opportunities for the prevention of occupational dermatitis
- Skin cancer due to occupational exposures
- Occupational skin diseases: new findings

- **Occupational Health & Safety in Small-Scale Enterprises and the Informal Sector**

- Ergonomic interventions for the improvement of health and safety of workers in Small-Scale Enterprises
- Application of emerging technologies for the benefit of future Informal Sectors
- OHS Systems for Independent and informal workers in new job modalities

- **Occupational Health & Safety in the Chemical Industry**

- **Occupational Health & Safety in the Construction Industry**

- **Occupational Health and Development**

- The contribution of Occupational Health and Development to Growth and Sustainability

- **Occupational Health for Health Workers**

- Bio-hazards and Occupational Cancer in Healthcare workers
- Workplace violence in Healthcare workers
- Technology, AI and the future for decent work in Healthcare workers and Healthcare settings

- **Occupational Health Nursing**

- **Occupational Medicine**

TOPICS FOR FREE PAPER SESSIONS

- **Occupational Toxicology**

- **Radiation and Work**

- **Reproductive Hazards in the Workplace**

- **Respiratory Disorders**

- **Rural Health: Agriculture, Pesticides and Organic Dusts**

- Impact of Rural Work Environments on Worker Health
 - Exposure to Organic Dust: Challenges and Innovations in Monitoring and Mitigation
 - Pesticide Use and Health Risks
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- **Shiftwork and Working Time**

- **Thermal Factors**

- Heat exposure and occupational productivity in Informal work settings
- Assessing the effectiveness of passive cooling technologies in reducing indoor thermal stress

- **Toxicology of Metals**

- **Unemployment, Job Insecurity and Health**

- **Vibration and Noise**

- **Women Health and Work**

- **Work and Vision**

- **Work Disability Prevention and Integration**

- **Work Organisation and Psychosocial Risk Factors**

- Psychosocial working conditions, health and voice of digital platform workers – international experiences
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- **Occupational Health in Public and Private sectors undertakings in India**

- **Occupational Safety in India**

- **Interface of Clinical and Occupational Health**

GRANTS AND AWARDS

ICOH has a strong and long-standing commitment to providing support to enable participation from delegates from low and middle-income countries (LMIC). This support continues for ICOH 2027, ensuring inclusivity and global representation.

ICOH Grants for Delegates from Low- and Middle-Income Countries

Participants from low-and middle-income countries accepted to present a paper at ICOH 2027 will be eligible to apply for a grant to support their participation, based on available resources. Applicants must be ICOH members in good standing at the time of application and they must be the presenting author for the abstract. Further details about the application process will be available on the Congress website - www.icoh2027.in

ILO Master Fellowship

A partial fellowship to attend the ILO Master in Occupational Safety and Health (conducted by the International Training Centre of the ILO in collaboration with the University of Turin, Italy) will be awarded to three eligible ICOH members from low-and middle-income countries who present scientific contribution at the Congress. Applicants must be ICOH members in good standing at the time of submitting their abstract. The award criteria will be published on the ICOH website www.icohweb.org

Student Poster Competition

ICOH 2027 will host the traditional Student Poster Competition recognizing excellence in research and communication among young scholars. To qualify, students must register and submit abstracts within the advertised deadlines. Accepted posters will be evaluated on scientific merit, presentation clarity, and the student's ability to discuss the research with the judging panel. Winners will receive a cash prize and recognition during the Closing Ceremony.

Additional Notes

Detailed criteria, eligibility requirements, and submission timelines for ICOH awards will be announced on the Congress website. Winners will be recognized during the Valedictory and Closing Ceremony of ICOH 2027.



REGISTRATION FEES AND INCLUSIONS

Registration for ICOH 2027 is NOW OPEN. To secure your place, please visit the website for more information on registration fees, accommodation, and the travel and tour options available, before completing the online registration form. Substantial discounts are being offered to ICOH members and students and to delegates from LMICs. Savings are available with the early bird offers, so we encourage you to **BOOK NOW!** Notification of abstract acceptance will be issued in good time, prior to the close of the early bird registration period, to enable participants to take advantage of these savings.

The time frames for congress registration fees:

- Early Registration: **December 2025 - 15th August 2026**
- Mid Registration: **16th August 2026 - 30th November 2026**
- Late Registration: **01st December 2026 - Congress**

Participant Registration Fee Inclusions

- Entry to the Congress Opening Ceremony and Keynote Presentation on Sunday, 14th February 2027
- Entry to the Congress Welcome Reception on Sunday, 14th February 2027
- Entry to all Congress Sessions from Monday, 15th February 2027 to Friday, 19th February 2027
- Daily lunch will be provided from Monday, 15th February 2027 to Friday, 19th February 2027
- Special arrangements have been made for evening meals (**iftar**) and **prayer facilities** for delegates observing the holy month of Ramadan
- Entry to the Congress Exhibition from Sunday, 14th February 2027 to Thursday, 18th February 2027
- Congress name badge and bag
- Access to Congress App
- Access to the online Congress Proceedings in Journal of Occupational Health (JOH) – the official English-language open-access journal of the Japan Society for Occupational Health.
- Certificate of attendance

Accompanying Person Registration Fee Inclusions

- Entry to the Congress Exhibition from Sunday, 14th February 2027 to Thursday, 18th February 2027
- Entry to the Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception on Sunday, 14th February 2027
- Name badge

REGISTRATION FEES AND INCLUSIONS

ICOH Membership

Consider becoming an ICOH member to take advantage of the discounted congress registration fees – visit the ICOH website for information on the member benefits and fees: www.icohweb.org

Participants from Low and Middle-Income Countries (LMICs)

Visit www.icoh2027.in website to determine if you qualify for the discounted LMIC registration fee.

Student Registration

To qualify for the student rate, you must be a full-time student undertaking a program or course of study at a recognized institution. Proof of your full-time student status will be requested on registration.

Further Information

For further information, please contact registration@icoh2027.in or visit the congress website www.icoh2027.in

CONGRESS REGISTRATION FEES

Registration fees applied to International participants will be charged in US Dollar (USD)*

Early Registration (USD)

High Income Countries

ICOH Member	975
ICOH Member Student	470
ICOH Non-Member	1095
ICOH Non-Member Student	590

Low and Middle-Income Countries

ICOH Member	580
ICOH Member Student	330
ICOH Non-Member	700
ICOH Non-Member Student	450

Late Registration (USD)

High Income Countries

ICOH Member	1175
ICOH Member Student	670
ICOH Non-Member	1295
ICOH Non-Member Student	790

Low and Middle-Income Countries

ICOH Member	780
ICOH Member Student	530
ICOH Non-Member	900
ICOH Non-Member Student	650

Mid Registration (USD)

High Income Countries

ICOH Member	1070
ICOH Member Student	565
ICOH Non-Member	1190
ICOH Non-Member Student	685

Low and Middle-Income Countries

ICOH Member	690
ICOH Member Student	435
ICOH Non-Member	810
ICOH Non-Member Student	555

Accompanying Person Registration	250
Congress Gala Dinner (per person)	125

*Rates are inclusive of applicable taxes

Conference Registration Rates for Indian Delegates

- As per prevailing laws, Indian nationals cannot make payments in foreign currency to Indian merchants. Therefore, the registration fee for Indian delegates is charged in Indian Rupees equivalent to the USD amount.
- Payments must be made in INR because Indian cards are not permitted to make USD transactions to merchants within India.

Registration fees applied to participants of Indian Nationality and resident in India in Indian Rupees (INR)*

EARLY REGISTRATION (INR)

ICOH Member	₹ 51,000
ICOH Member Student	₹ 29,000
ICOH Non-Member	₹ 61,500
ICOH Non-Member Student	₹ 39,500

MID REGISTRATION (INR)

ICOH Member	₹ 60,500
ICOH Member Student	₹ 38,500
ICOH Non-Member	₹ 71,500
ICOH Non-Member Student	₹ 49,000

LATE REGISTRATION (INR)

ICOH Member	₹ 68,500
ICOH Member Student	₹ 46,500
ICOH Non-Member	₹ 79,000
ICOH Non-Member Student	₹ 57,000

Accompanying Person Registration	₹ 22,000
Congress Gala Dinner (per person)	₹ 11,000

*Rates are inclusive of applicable taxes

JOIN ICOH



We invite you to join the largest scientific and professional association in occupational health.

The International Commission on Occupational Health (ICOH) is an international non- governmental professional association whose aim is to foster the scientific progress, knowledge and development of occupational health and safety in all its aspects. ICOH was founded in 1906 in Milan as the Permanent Commission on Occupational Health. Today, ICOH is the world's leading international scientific and professional association in the field of occupational health with a membership of 2,000 professionals from over 100 countries. ICOH is recognized by the United Nations as a non-governmental organization (NGO) and has close working relationships with ILO and WHO. Its official languages are English and French. The most visible activity of ICOH is the triennial World Congress on Occupational Health, which is usually attended by some 3,000 participants. ICOH has 37 Scientific Committees. Most of them organize scientific symposia during the triennium enriching the triennial scientific program of the organization, that can count on an ICOH-sponsored scientific event happening almost every month.

Benefits for ICOH members:

- Become a member of the ICOH Global Network and participate in the scientific community on occupational health
- Join three ICOH Scientific Committees of your own interest without any additional fee
- Free participation in the ICOH Webinar Series with CPD accreditation
- Receive the ICOH Newsletter three times a year
- Get access to special contents in the private area of the ICOH website
- Get reductions in the registration fees of ICOH Triennial Congresses

Please visit **www.icohweb.org** to discover how to apply for the membership and to know more about the membership fees.



JIO WORLD CONVENTION CENTRE, MUMBAI

JIO World Convention Centre, located in Bandra Kurla Complex (BKC), Mumbai, is one of India's largest and most advanced convention centres. It features state-of-the-art facilities, including expansive exhibition halls, conference rooms, and a grand auditorium. Known for hosting international events, conferences, and cultural shows, it combines modern architecture with premium amenities.



Where Events Come To Life

With an area totalling 1,03,012 sq. m., Jio World Convention Centre is India's foremost venue for best-in-class exhibitions, conventions, meetings and social events.



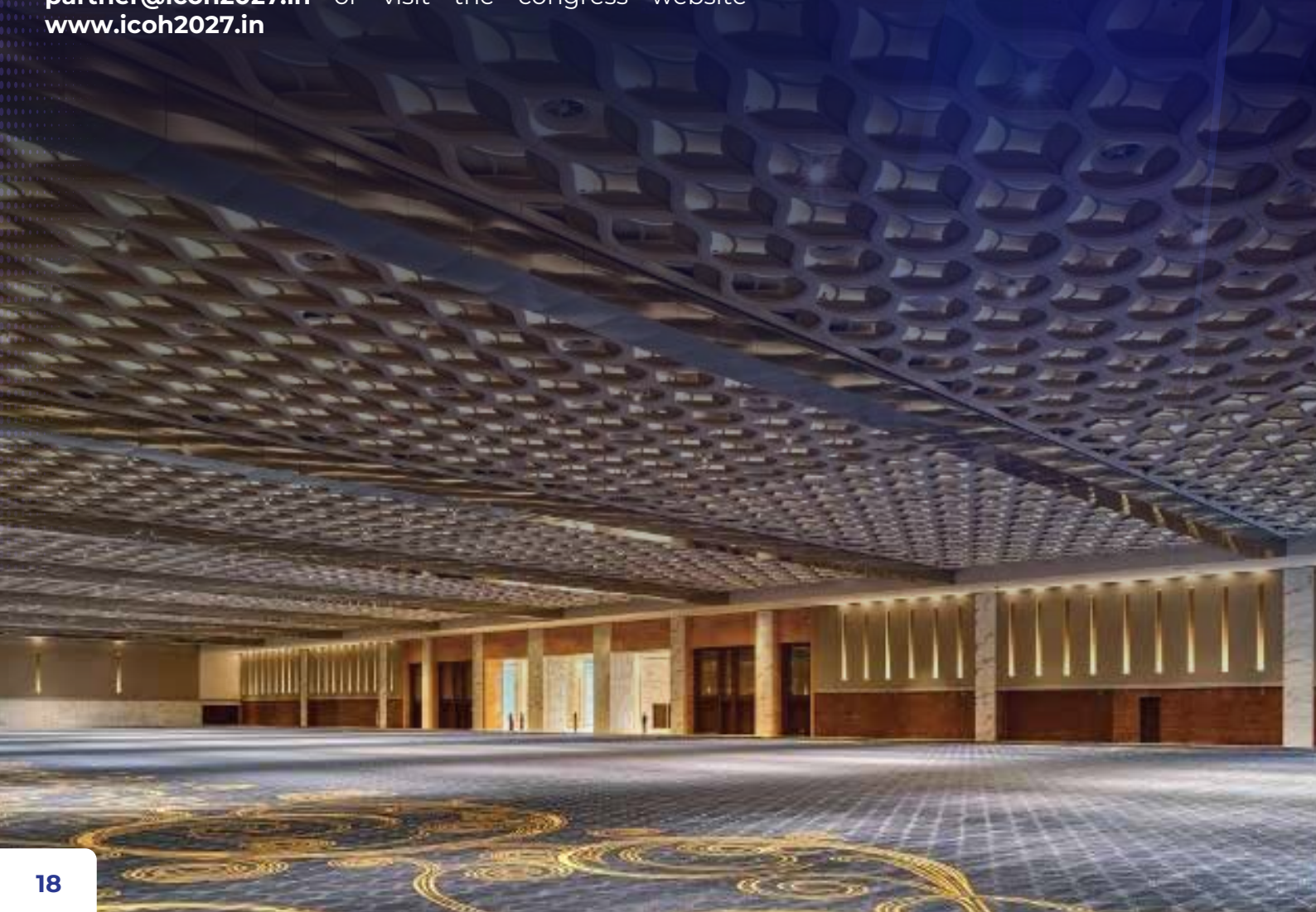
EXHIBITION AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR SPONSORS AND EXHIBITORS

ICOH 2027 offers premier exhibition opportunities at **Reliance Jio World Convention Centre - a world-class, 50,000 sq. ft. facility** designed to international standards. This state-of-the-art venue provides an ideal setting for organizations to showcase their products, services, and innovations in occupational health, safety, and wellness.

Located adjacent to the main scientific sessions, the exhibition ensures **high delegate visibility and engagement**, attracting participants from industry, academia, and government worldwide. Exhibitors will benefit from **modern infrastructure, flexible booth layouts, and excellent networking opportunities** throughout the event.

This vibrant exhibition space is more than just a display area—it is a hub for **knowledge exchange, collaboration, and business growth**, connecting stakeholders who share a common vision of creating healthier and safer workplaces.

If your organization is interested in participating in the Congress Exhibition OR increasing its profile by participating as a sponsor or partner, please contact our Congress Professional Conference Organisers team via **partner@icoh2027.in** or visit the congress website **www.icoh2027.in**



DISCOVER MUMBAI

India's financial and entertainment hub, also known as **City of Dreams**, is a dynamic blend of tradition, innovation & cosmopolitan culture.

Located on the west coast, it's known for its bustling streets, iconic landmarks like the Gateway of India, diverse cuisine, and the Bollywood film industry.

Regarded as one of **India's safest cities**, known for its hospitality & helpful residents, fondly called Mumbaikars.

Connectivity & Transportation

- **Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport** (CSMIA) & Loknete D. B. Patil Navi Mumbai International Airport offer direct links to major global cities.
- City offers modern **Metro, Suburban trains & Buses** and app-based **cabs like Uber and Ola** which offer convenient commuting across the city.
- **The Venue** – JWCC in BKC is just 30 mins away from airport.

For more info, visit the congress website: www.icoh2027.in



India

India is a diverse and vibrant country in South Asia, known for its rich cultural heritage, history, and traditions. The country has a mixed economy, being one of the fastest-growing in the world, and is known for its contributions to technology, science, and arts. Its National capital is New Delhi, and its Financial capital is Mumbai.

India: The Ideal Destination for ICOH 2027

India, the world's fastest-growing major economy and an emerging global superpower, is the perfect destination for ICOH 2027 - 35th International Congress on Occupational Health. With its strategic location, world-class infrastructure, excellent connectivity, and diverse cultural heritage, India promises an unparalleled experience for international delegates.

Ideal Weather in February

India enjoys pleasant weather in February, with Mumbai experiencing temperatures between 20-30°C (68-86°F). The cool and dry climate ensures a comfortable and enjoyable experience for attendees, allowing for smooth travel and outdoor networking events.

Tourism in India

From the majestic snow-capped peaks of North India's serene hill stations to the sun-kissed beaches of Goa buzzing with vibrant nightlife, India offers diverse travel experiences. Kerala's backwaters promise tranquil houseboat cruises amidst lush greenery, while thrilling jungle safaris provide unforgettable wildlife encounters in dense forests. Meanwhile, the grand forts of Rajasthan echo tales of valor and royalty, showcasing the country's rich heritage and architectural brilliance.

A Culinary & Cultural Delight

India's diverse cuisine offers a unique culinary experience, from Mumbai's famous street food to luxurious fine dining. The country's rich cultural heritage, traditional dance forms, and vibrant festivals create an immersive experience for international visitors.



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TRAVEL, ACCOMMODATION & SOCIAL PROGRAM

Travel

VISA GUIDELINES FOR TRAVEL TO INDIA

All international delegates traveling to India for the conference in Mumbai are required to obtain a valid Conference Visa. You may apply for a Conference e-visa up to 120 days before your date of arrival and no later than 4 days prior to travel. For those applying through an Indian Embassy or Consulate (regular/paper visa), it is recommended to apply 45–60 days before travel to allow sufficient time for processing and mandatory governmental clearances.

As part of our support, we will provide official invitation letters and conference clearances by ministries to facilitate your visa application.

For the most accurate and up-to-date information, delegates are kindly requested to refer to the official visa portal of Government of India - www.mea.gov.in

Accommodation

Discover world-class comfort in the heart of Mumbai's modern business district. Bandra Kurla Complex (BKC) offers an exceptional range of hotels — from luxury to business-class — all within easy reach of the congress venue. With excellent amenities, international cuisine, and convenient access to the airport and city highlights, delegates can look forward to a seamless and enjoyable stay.

Special rates will be arranged at select partner hotels located close to the venue for the convenience of our delegates.

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Social Events

Immerse yourself in the colors and charm of India! The congress social program offers delegates an opportunity to experience India's renowned hospitality and cultural diversity featuring a welcome reception, gala dinner, traditional music and dance performances, and engaging networking evenings. Delegates will enjoy a perfect blend of culture, cuisine, and camaraderie — making the conference not just academically enriching but also memorable and enjoyable.



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